

COLLEGE OF HEALTH TIMELINE

APRIL 2007

Lehigh's 13th President, Alice P. Gast, announces in her inaugural remarks the need for the entire university to come together to learn more about the complexities of health care.

MAY 2008

Lehigh's Health Care Initiative Core Group Formed

FALL 2008

Health, Medicine and Society (HMS) Program Formed

FALL 2009

Lehigh's 'Strategic Plan: Advancing Our Intellectual Footprint' published with one of the grand challenges presented being 'Health.'

SUMMER 2013

Community Health Cluster Formed

SPRING SEMESTER 2016

Three World Cafés held to discuss "A Few 'Big Ideas' for Lehigh" at which the idea of a College of Health emerged.

SEPTEMBER 2016

President Simon publishes 'Lehigh University 2025: The President's Perspective – "A Path to Prominence"' in which the plan to launch a fifth college (College of Health) at Lehigh is discussed.

NOVEMBER 2016

Provost Farrell Forms and Charges College of Health Committee

NOVEMBER 2016 – APRIL 2017

College of Health Committee Work and Outreach

JANUARY 2017

College of Health Open Forum Held

APRIL 2017

College of Health Committee Report Finalized
College of Health Open Forum Held

MAY – OCTOBER 2017

President Simon and Provost Farrell Outreach to External Stakeholders and Constituents

OCTOBER 2017

Lehigh's 'Path to Prominence' website launched for internal and external Lehigh audiences promoting a College of Health and a new Health, Science and Technology building.

NOVEMBER 2017

Lehigh Collaborates with Boston Consulting Group and Strategy+

DECEMBER 2017

College of Health Town Halls

MARCH 2018

College of Health Presentation During the Board of Trustees Meeting

SPRING 2018

Recruitment Begins for College of Health Founding Dean
Additional Town Halls To Be Held

JANUARY 2019

College of Health Dean To Be Hired

AUGUST 2020

First Cohort of College of Health Faculty To Be Hired

FALL 2020

College of Health To Open